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Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Update # 31

This is the Alaska Department of Fish & Game in King Salmon with an update for commercial fishermen in the Naknek-Kvichak District. The time is **9:00 a.m.** and the date is **Sunday, July 5, 2015.**

The Naknek River escapement on July 4 was 40,000 sockeye for a cumulative escapement of 534,000. The Kvichak River escapement on July 4 was 370,000 sockeye. The midnight to 6:00 a.m. count was 95,000 for a cumulative escapement of 840,000. The Kvichak inriver estimate is 500,000. Harvest from July 4 was 200,000 fish for a cumulative of 1.9 million.

The Department is waiting for additional Kvichak inriver test fishery information. Stand-by at 12:00 p.m. today for the next possible announcement.

This has been the Alaska Dept. of Fish & Game in King Salmon.

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